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For: SYSTEM FOR TRANSFERRING A DIGITAL IMAGE FROM A PHOTOGRAPHER TO A FULFILLMENT CENTER TO GENERATE A

Examiner: P. K. Huntsinger

PHOTOGRAPHIC PROCESS

## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.116)

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated December 29, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1 – 86, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 15 of this paper.

A Declaration Of the Inventors Under Rule 131 signed by all the inventors of this application is enclosed.

A Declaration of Graham McFarland is enclosed.

A Declaration of Carl A. Forest Under Rule 131 is enclosed.